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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:	SHOWA CORPORATION)	Examiner:	BEACH
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For:	POWER TILT APPARATUS)		
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RESPONSE TO OFFICIAL ACTION

Commissioner of Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

December 30, 2005

Sir:

This communication is responsive to your Office Action dated 4 October 2005, having a shortened statutory period for reply set to expire on 4 January 2006. Accordingly, this response is timely filed on 4 January 2005.

Please amend the application as follows:

In the Claims:

Please amend the claims as shown in the section entitled "Claim Amendments".

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